not shifted their offices and no action can be taken against them;

(c) what further efforts have been made to abate the pressure of population in Delhi; and

(d) what efforts have so far been made in this direction?

THE MINISTER OF SURFACE TRANSPORT AND THE MINISTER OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI T.G. VENKATRAMAN) (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) 24 Public Sector Undertakings and 15 other Government Offices have been identified for being shifted out of Delhi as one of the measures for decongesting Delhi. Out of these, 3 Government offices and 4 PSUs have already moved out of Delhi. One PSU is in the process of shifting out and two PSUs have been allowed to remain in Delhi.

(c) and (d) In view of the problems caused in Delhi by the unprecedented growth of population and consequent overburdened civic services, N.C.R. Planning Board formulated Regional Plan 2001 for N.C.R. which aims at:

(i) reducing the pressure of population in Delhi; and

(ii) attaining a balanced and harmonised development of NCR.

The 3 policy zones identified to implement the plan are:—

(i) National Capital Territory of Delhi for restricted growth;

(ii) D.M.A. for moderate growth and

(iii) The rest of N.C.R. for induced growth.

राष्ट्रीय राजधानी क्षेत्र पर किया गया व्यय

597. **प्रो॰ विजय कुमार मल्होत्रा:** क्या शहरी कार्य और रोजगार मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) राष्ट्रीय राजधानी क्षेत्र योजना पर कितनी राशि व्यय की गई है;

(ख) इस योजना पर कुल कितनी राशि के खर्च होने का अनुमान है;

(ग) क्या इस योजना पर अब तक किये गये कार्य के संबंध में मूल्यांकन किया गया है; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी निष्कर्ष क्या है?

जल भूतल परिवहन मंत्री तथा शहरी कार्य और रोजगार मंत्री (श्री टी॰जी॰ वेंकटरामन): (क) राष्ट्रीय राजधानी क्षेत्र योजना बोर्ड ने अब तक राज्य सरकारों तथा उनके क्षेत्रीय विकास प्राधिकरणों/स्थानीय निकायों/आवास बोर्डों को 392 करोड़ रुपये की ऋण सहायता मुहैया कराई है। अब तक विकास परियोजना पर 568 करोड़ रुपये की राशि खर्च की गई है जिसमें राज्यों द्वारा वहन किया जाने वाला परियोजना अंश भी शामिल है।

(ख) 1997-98 के दौरान, इस स्कीम के तहत, 45 करोड़ रुपये आवंटित किए गए हैं।

(ग) अब तक कार्यक्रम का प्रभाव जानने के लिए कोई मूल्यांकन नहीं किया गया।

(घ) उपर्युक्त (ग) के उत्तर को देखते हुए प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

Loans to set up Clinics, Nursing Homes and Laboratories in cities

598. SHRI GOVINDRAM MIRI: Will the Minister of URBAN AFFAIRS & EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have provided for loans and allied assistance to medical and dental graduates to set up clinics, nursing homes/laboratories in cities;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) what are the conditions subject to which these are provided; and

(d) the details of such assistance extended to medical and dental graduates during each of the three preceding years?

THE MINISTER OF SURFACE TRANSPORT AND THE MINISTER OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI T.G. VENKATRAMAN) (a) No, Sir. This Ministry is implementing three Centrally Sponsored Schemes namely Nehru Rozgar Yojana (NRY), Urban Basic Services of the Poor (UBSP) and Prime Minister's Integrated Urban Poverty

Eradication Programme (PMIUPEP). Self Employment components are present under NRY and PMIUPEP. Under both these schemes, the urban poor living below the poverty line are assisted to set up micro enterprises in the field of servicing, manufacturing trades etc. Setting up of clinics, nursing homes and laboratories do not fall under the category of micro enterprises.

(b) to (d) In view of (a), question does not arise.

Construction Parametres for DDA Flats

599. SHRI GOVINDRAM MIRI: Will the Minister of URBAN AFFAIRS & EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a standard or prescribed ratio between the number of storeys constructed and the capacity of the foundations laid for housing units constructed by DDA under SFS schemes in the capital;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Government accords permission of construction of additional storeys in the light of ratio between foundations and storeys; and

(d) if so, the circumstances and conditions under which the permission is accorded along with the procedure prescribed therefor;

THE MINISTER OF SURFACE TRANSPORT AND THE MINISTER OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI T.G. VENKATRAMAN): (a) DDA has informed that there is no standard/ prescribed ratio as such, but the foundation of housing units is designed according to the number of storeys planned.

(b) to (d) Does not arise in view of reply to (a) above.

Removal of Jhuggies from around Laxmibai Nagar and Sarojini Nagar

600 SHRI K. RAHMAN KHAN: Will the Minister of URBAN AFFAIRS & EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the number of jhuggies around government quarters of Laxmibai Nagar, Sarojini Nagar and on the drain are increasing continuousiy as a consequence of which environment of these colonies has got polluted;

(b) whether Government propose to remove these jhuggies within a fixed time period so that trees can be planted in this area;

(c) if so, by when; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF SURFACE TRANSPORT AND THE MINISTER OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI T.G. VENKATRAMAN): (a) NDMC has reported that there are 35 jhuggies behind XY Block of Sarojini Nagar, besides one identified JJ Cluster known as Arjun Dass Camp.

(b) and (c) NDMC has reported that the matter has been taken up with Delhi Police. However, no definite time frame can be given at this stage.

(d) In view of reply (b) & (d) above, question does not arise.

Restoration of Sirmur Plot to Maharashtra Government

601. SHRI SURYABHAN PATIL VAHADANE: Will the MINISTER OF URBAN AFFAIRS & EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any representation for restoration of Sirmur plot to Maharashtra State for construction of a new Maharashtra Sadan;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether this site belongs to Maharashtra Sadan and if so the difficulties in the way of Government to restore